The 120-day 2011 legislative session begins on February 7. At the time of the writing of this article, 940 bill draft requests, more commonly known as “BDRs” in legislative parlance, have been submitted to the Legislative Counsel’s office for drafting. One of the first actions to be taken by the legislature will be the adoption of the Joint Rules of the Assembly and Senate, which traditionally provide that in addition to the bill draft requests already submitted, each assembly member will have an additional two bill draft requests and each senator will have an additional four bill draft requests. These additional legislator bill draft requests must be submitted on or before the eighth calendar day of the legislative session (February 14). An additional 50 bill draft requests will also be allocated to each house for division among their standing committees. A standing committee may only request the drafting of a bill or resolution or introduce a bill or resolution that is within the jurisdiction of that committee.

Legislative leadership also has an allotment of bill draft requests for use during the legislative session. Traditionally, the Majority Leader of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly may each submit to the Legislative Counsel, on his or her own behalf or on the behalf of another legislator or a standing committee of the senate or assembly, no more than five requests for the drafting of a bill or resolution. The Minority Leader of the Senate and the Minority Leader of the Assembly may each submit to the Legislative Counsel, on his or her own behalf or on the behalf of another legislator or a standing committee of the senate or assembly, no more than two requests for the drafting of a bill or resolution.

Following this introductory information is a list of those BDRs, divided by general subject of interest to the general membership of the bar. The bill draft request list sets forth the general subject of each bill draft request, the requester’s name and the date the bill draft was requested. The subject matter is often very vague. For example, there are six bill draft requests relating to workers’ compensation that simply provide that the request is for a bill that “…revises provisions governing or relating to workers’ compensation.” To learn more details regarding the specific contents of a bill draft request, the public may contact the requester of the bill or wait.
Personalized Bill tracking

Once you have identified BDRs that may be of interest to your practice, a personal bill tracker tool is available on the legislative website at www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/76th2011/Subscriber/. Personalized bill tracking is available free of charge for a maximum of 10 BDRs or bills. While the same information is available on the legislative website at www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/76th2011/Reports/ – the personalized bill tracking device automatically tracks bills and sends e-mail notifications of legislative actions concerning the BDRs and/or bills on your bill tracking list. A charge is imposed for tracking more than 10 BDRs or bills on the personalized bill tracking service.

2011 BILL DRAFT REQUESTS

A number preceding the dash in the BDR description, for example 19-107, designates that Title 19 of the Nevada Revised Statutes has been identified by the Legislative Counsel’s Office as encompassing the main subject of the bill draft. The number following the dash is simply the number assigned to the BDR, in accordance with the order it was added to the BDR list. The letter “C” appearing before a bill draft number denotes the bill draft request is for a joint resolution amending the Nevada Constitution. Some bill drafts were requested by legislators no longer serving in the legislature – those bill draft requests can be claimed by and carried by any legislator currently serving in the legislature. Some BDRs have already been “prefiled” – a process allowing for the printing of the bill prior to the legislative session beginning. The bill number (AB for Assembly Bill or SB for Senate Bill) for those measures are noted in parenthesis and are available on line for your review at: www.leg.state.nv.us/Sessions/76th2011/Reports/.

The complete BDR list containing every bill draft request submitted to date can be accessed on the web at: www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/76th2011/BDRList/Index.cfm.

### Alternative Dispute Resolution / Arbitration / Mediation

3-60 Assemblyman Segerblom
(originally requested by Senator Care)
Enacts the Uniform Collaborative Law Act. 2/27/2010

415 Assemblyman Joe Hardy
Makes various changes concerning arbitration and mediation of issues relating to local governmental contracts. 9/01/2010

3-540 Assemblyman Segerblom
Revises provisions governing mediation and arbitration. 9/27/2010

### Civil Actions

36-56 Assemblyman Segerblom
(originally requested by Senator Care)
Enacts the Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Care Practitioners Act. 2/27/2010

384 Assemblyman Settelmeyer
Limits the personal liability of directors and officers of nonprofit volunteer organizations. 9/01/2010

879 Assemblyman Goicoechea
Enacts the Equine Liability Act. 12/15/2010

### Civil Procedure

809 Assemblyman Hambrick
Makes various changes concerning the jurisdiction over items manufactured or produced within the State of Nevada. 12/15/2010

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Common-Interest Communities

10-23 Senator Schneider
Makes various changes relating to common-interest communities. 11/06/2009

7-61 Assemblyman Segerblom
(originally requested by Senator Care)
Enacts the Uniform Limited Cooperative Associations Act. 2/27/2010

10-105 Senator Copening
Revises provisions relating to common-interest communities. 6/08/2010

10-263 Senator Copening
Makes various changes relating to real property located within a common-interest community. 8/26/2010

10-264 Senator Copening
Makes various changes to provisions governing common-interest communities. 8/26/2010

10-295 Senator Copening
Revises provisions relating to charges for the collection of certain fees and other obligations in a common-interest community. 8/31/2010

10-298 Senator Copening
Enacts certain provisions of the Uniform Common-Interest Ownership Act. 8/31/2010

10-477 (SB30) Real Estate Division, Department of Business and Industry
Revises provisions relating to fund transfers by and records of homeowners’ associations. 9/01/2010

10-512 Assemblyman Segerblom
Revises provisions governing common-interest communities. 9/02/2010

513 Assemblyman Munford
Revises provisions governing the rights of members of homeowners’ associations. 9/02/2010

10-595 Senator McGinness
Revises provisions governing common-interest communities. 11/19/2010

610 Senator Schneider
Revises provisions governing common-interest communities. 12/01/2010

658 Assemblywoman Neal
Revises provisions governing homeowners’ associations. 12/10/2010

709 Senator Halseth
Revises provisions governing the rights of members of homeowners’ associations. 12/13/2010

832 Senator Halseth
Revises provisions governing common-interest communities. 12/15/2010

860 Senator Kihuen
Makes various changes relating to homeowners’ associations and common-interest communities. 12/15/2010

Construction Defects

382 Assemblyman Oceguera
Makes various changes concerning construction defects. 9/01/2010

2-418 (AB44) Office of the Governor
Revises the statutes of repose relating to certain actions concerning construction defects. 9/01/2010

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3-607 Assemblyman Hansen
Makes various changes relating to constructional defects. 11/28/2010

Consumer Legal Funding
815 Assembly Committee on Judiciary
Enacts provisions relating to consumer legal funding. 12/15/2010

Crimes and Criminal Law
25 Assemblyman Horne
Revises various provisions relating to the defense of indigent persons. 11/09/2009

15-37 (AB8) Assemblyman Hambrick; Joint Requesters: Assemblyman Carrillo, Senator Manendo
Enacts Castle Doctrine for Nevada. 1/14/2010

74 Senator Gustavson
Makes various changes to provide alternatives to incarceration in certain circumstances. 4/21/2010

96 Assemblyman Munford
Revises provisions relating to funding for substance abuse services. 5/24/2010

15-98 Assemblyman Goicoechea
Prohibits destruction of property before foreclosure, repossession or other action involving title. 5/25/2010

15-111 Senator Raggio
Requires the creation and maintenance of a register of criminal cases and defendants for public information. 6/16/2010

15-121 (SB47) Attorney General
Clarifies the definition of “minor” for the purposes of criminal statutes. 6/22/2010

15-123 Assemblyman Segerblom
(originally requested by Assemblyman Mortenson)
Revises provisions relating to the use of force as protection. 6/24/2010

14-154 Legislative Committee on Senior Citizens, Veterans and Adults with Special Needs
Revises provisions concerning the reporting of crimes against older persons. 6/24/2010
15-200 Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice
Revises penalties for certain crimes relating to children. 7/27/2010

270 Assemblyman Aizley
Requires DNA testing of persons arrested for certain felonies. 8/30/2010

39-273 Assemblyman Stewart
Authorizes courts to admit persons suffering from mental illness to outpatient treatment under certain circumstances. 8/30/2010

14-279 (AB49) Nevada Association of Counties
Revises provisions governing criminal defense of indigent persons. 8/30/2010

14-311 Senator Parks
Makes various changes pertaining to sentences of imprisonment. 8/31/2010

15-361 (AB4) Assemblyman Hambrick
Includes human trafficking as a crime for involuntary servitude. 9/01/2010

15-363 (AB5) Assemblyman Hambrick
Revises provisions governing the crime of pandering. 9/01/2010

14-366 (AB6) Assemblyman Hambrick
Permits motions to vacate judgment against persons found to be victims of human trafficking or involuntary servitude. 9/01/2010

S-387 Senator Horsford
Makes various changes concerning criminal offenders. 9/01/2010

15-414 Senator Parks (by request)
Makes various changes concerning crimes against certain persons. 9/01/2010

419 Assemblyman Joe Hardy
Provides penalties for cultivating marijuana in greater quantities than is allowable for medical use and for the manufacture of certain similar substances. 9/01/2010

5-470 (AB13) Department of Wildlife
Makes changes related to hunting and firearms offenses committed by children. 9/01/2010

14-536 Assemblyman Oceguera
Revises the provisions governing the prosecution of identity theft crimes. 9/01/2010

539 Senator Nolan
Revises provisions relating to DNA testing of persons arrested for and convicted of a felony. 9/01/2010

546 Assemblyman Ellison (originally requested by Assemblyman Carpenter); Joint Requester: Assemblyman Goicoechea
Bans the use, possession and sale of certain synthetic substances which are similar to marijuana. 10/15/2010

575 Assemblyman Segerblom (originally requested by Senator Care)
Enacts the Uniform Collateral Consequences of Conviction Act. 11/02/2010

15-599 Assemblyman Ohrenschall
Makes various changes governing crimes against property. 11/21/2010
616 Senator Wiener  
Revises provisions governing graffiti. 12/03/2010

632 Assembly Committee on Judiciary  
Revises provisions relating to registration of and community notification concerning certain offenders. 12/07/2010

633 Assemblyman Horne  
Makes various changes to provisions governing certain offenders. 12/07/2010

34-643 Senator Parks  
Makes various changes concerning harassment, intimidation and bullying that occurs in public schools. 12/09/2010

687 Assembly Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections  
Revises provisions governing the restoration of the right to vote for ex-felons. 12/12/2010

698 Senator Settelmeyer  
Bans the use, possession and sale of certain synthetic substances which are similar to controlled substances. 12/13/2010

729 Assemblyman Anderson  
Revises provisions governing the crime of trespass. 12/14/2010
Driving Under the Influence
43-27 Senator Leslie
Requires installation of interlock device upon conviction of driving under the influence of alcohol or a controlled substance. 11/21/2009

269 Assemblyman Stewart
Increases penalties for driving under the influence. 8/30/2010

43-293 (SB42) Attorney General
Revises provisions relating to impaired driving. 8/30/2010

43-487 (SB15) Department of Motor Vehicles
Revises provisions governing the collection and processing of civil penalty fees for drunk driving convictions. 9/01/2010

43-601 Senator Manendo
Revises provisions governing DUI checkpoints. 11/24/2010

43-626 Senator Manendo
Revises provisions governing driving under the influence. 12/06/2010

Eminent Domain
3-115 Assemblyman Horne
Makes various changes to provisions concerning eminent domain. 6/21/2010

3-132 Senator Leslie
Revises provisions relating to eminent domain. 6/28/2010

3-373 Assemblyman Goedhart
Authorizes the state to exercise eminent domain authority over federal property for certain renewable projects. 9/01/2010

Elderly Law
14-154 Legislative Committee on Senior Citizens, Veterans and Adults with Special Needs
Revises provisions concerning the reporting of crimes against older persons. 6/24/2010

13-156 Legislative Committee on Senior Citizens, Veterans and Adults with Special Needs
Revises provisions relating to guardianships. 6/24/2010

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23-157 Legislative Committee on Senior Citizens, Veterans and Adults with Special Needs
Revises provisions relating to public guardians. 6/24/2010

18-204 (SB55) Attorney General
Revises provisions concerning crimes against older persons. 7/29/2010

710 Senator Parks (by request)
Creates a statewide alert system for the safe return of missing older persons. 12/13/2010

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Family Law/ Protection of Children

38-3 Senator Cegavske
Makes various changes concerning the protection of children.

116 Assemblywoman Mastroluca
Revises provisions relating to the termination of parental rights. 6/21/2010

38-196 Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice
Establishes provisions relating to assistance for certain guardians. 7/27/2010

11-197 Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice
Revises provisions relating to adoption. 7/27/2010

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38-198 Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice
Revises provisions relating to the care of certain children during disasters. 7/27/2010

38-199 Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice
Revises provisions relating to the release of certain records of children in the custody of an agency which provides child welfare services. 7/27/2010

15-200 Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice
Revises penalties for certain crimes relating to children. 7/27/2010

38-201 Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice
Revises provisions relating to background checks of certain persons who work with children. 7/27/2010

38-246 Senator Leslie
Revises provisions governing the confidentiality of certain reports of child welfare agencies. 8/23/2010

11-289 (SB57) Attorney General
Revises provisions concerning missing, abducted, removed or concealed children. 8/30/2010

11-459 (SB23) Division of Child and Family Services, Department of Health and Human Services
Clarifies the entity responsible for notifying a potential adoptive parent of the availability of adoption assistance during a private adoption. 9/01/2010
Gaming Law
41-163 Assembly Committee on Judiciary
Makes various changes related to gaming. 6/30/2010

533 Senator Rhoads
Revises provisions governing off-track gaming. 9/10/2010

657 Assembly Committee on Judiciary
Makes various changes concerning the regulation of gaming. 12/10/2010

661 Senate Committee on Judiciary
Revises provisions related to gaming. 12/10/2010

828 Senate Committee on Judiciary
Revises provisions relating to interactive gaming. 12/15/2010

Judicial Branch
1-7 Assemblyman Horne
Makes various changes regarding judicial campaign practices.

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514 Assemblyman Hambrick
Revises provisions governing certain sexual crimes involving minors. 9/02/2010

590 Assemblywoman Mastroluca
Revises provisions governing the payment of child support. 11/09/2010

627 Assemblywoman Adams
Revises provisions governing the custody and visitation of children for persons who are members of the military. 12/07/2010

697 Senator Settelmeyer
Makes various changes concerning the placement of a child into protective custody. 12/13/2010

712 Assemblywoman Mastroluca
Revises provisions governing children in foster care. 12/13/2010

785 Senator Gustavson
Creates rebuttable presumption regarding an armed services member’s child custody and visitation orders upon return from deployment. 12/14/2010

802 Assemblyman Frierson
Enacts the foster care children bill of rights. 12/15/2010

909 Senator Horsford
Revises provisions governing family preservation and restoration. 12/15/2010
54-81 Assemblyman Segerblom
Revises provisions relating to court reporters. 5/04/2010

4-85 Assemblyman Ohrenschall
Revises provisions relating to courts. 5/12/2010

1-235 Assemblyman Oceguera
Revises provisions governing court reporters. 3/16/2010

14-311 Senator Parks
Makes various changes pertaining to sentences of imprisonment. 8/31/2010

314 Assemblyman Conklin
Revises provisions relating to exemptions from jury duty. 8/31/2010

1-319 (SB5) Nevada Supreme Court
Revises provisions governing selection and summoning of grand juries. 8/31/2010

1-320 (AB7) Nevada Supreme Court
Revises provisions governing disqualification of certain judges. 8/31/2010

6-321 (SB24) Nevada Supreme Court
Revises provisions governing procedure for issuance and renewal of writs of execution. 8/31/2010

1-322 (AB9) Nevada Supreme Court
Increases justice court civil filing fees. 8/31/2010

1-324 (SB6) Nevada Supreme Court
Provides for use of electronic reproduction of seal of court. 8/31/2010

4-326 Assemblyman Segerblom
(originally requested by Senator Care)
Enacts the Uniform Interstate Depositions and Discovery Act. 8/31/2010

1-342 (SB25) Clark County
Revises the method of determining the number of justices of the peace in townships in larger counties. 8/31/2010

54-505 (AB25) Certified Court Reporters’ Board of Nevada
Revises provisions governing court reporters. 9/01/2010

19-550 Assembly Committee on Judiciary
Revises provisions governing court records. 10/21/2010

18-557 Assembly Committee on Judiciary
(originally requested by Assemblyman Carpenter on behalf of the Advisory Commission on the Administration of Justice)
Revises provisions governing the collection of fines, administrative assessments, fees and restitution owed by certain convicted persons. 10/31/2010

14-558 Assembly Committee on Judiciary
(originally requested by Assemblyman Carpenter on behalf of the Advisory Commission on the Administration of Justice)
Revises provisions governing the use of psychological or psychiatric examinations of victims and witnesses. 10/31/2010

641 Senate Committee on Judiciary
(on behalf of the Advisory Commission on the Administration of Justice)
Revises provisions governing the Office of State Public Defender. 12/09/2010
653 Assembly Committee on Judiciary
Revises provisions governing the
security of state and local court facilities.
12/08/2010

54-667 Assemblyman Frierson
Revises provisions governing process
servers. 12/10/2010

758 Senator McGinness
Provides for the realignment of certain
judicial districts. 12/14/2010

817 Assembly Committee on Judiciary
Revises various provisions relating to court
fees. 12/15/2010

901 Assembly Committee on Ways
and Means
Revises provisions governing court fees.
12/15/2010

Juvenile Justice

14-323 (SB26) Nevada Supreme Court
Makes various changes relating to juvenile
courts. 8/31/2010

551 Assemblyman Hambrick
Makes various changes to provisions
governing juvenile sex offenders.
10/24/2010

655 Assembly Committee on Judiciary
Makes various changes governing
sentencing of certain juvenile offenders.
12/10/2010

672 Legislative Commission’s
Committee to Study Group Homes
Requires certain reporting and training
for the staff of juvenile home facilities.
6/09/2010

908 Senator Horsford
Revises provisions governing non-violent
offender re-entry programs and youth
offender intervention and prevention
programs. 12/15/2010

Land Use and Planning

21-11 Assemblyman Goicoechea
(originally requested by Assemblyman
Carpenter)
Revises provisions relating to annexation
of property.
72 Senator Nolan
Makes various changes regarding covenants and deed restrictions for real estate. 4/01/2010

22-99 Senate Committee on Judiciary
Revises provisions governing land use decisions. 5/25/2010

21-139 Senator Parks
Revises provisions concerning annexation. 6/29/2010

20-187 (AB42) Mineral County
Provides exemption from appraisal requirement for sale or lease of certain real property by Board of County Commissioners for land to which federal sale or use restrictions apply. 7/28/2010

21-266 Assemblyman Bobzien
Revises provisions concerning the abatement of dangerous or noxious structures or conditions on private property. 8/30/2010

10-294 Senator Copening
Establishes provisions governing the use of certain real property. 8/30/2010

714 Senator McGinness
Revises provisions governing planning and zoning. 12/13/2010

846 Assemblywoman Dondero Loop
Revises provisions governing the formation of general improvement districts. 12/15/2010

32-434 (SB31) Department of Taxation
Extends initial period for the recordation of tax liens to four years. 9/01/2010

779 Senator Roberson
Revises provisions governing property exempt from execution by creditors and other persons. 12/14/2010

833 Assemblyman Conklin
Revises various provisions governing mechanics’ liens. 12/15/2010

Medical Malpractice

762 Senator Breeden
Makes various changes concerning medical malpractice claims. 12/14/2010

Open Meeting Law

19-107 Assemblyman Carpenter
Revises provisions governing the Open Meeting Law. 6/10/2010

19-226 Assemblyman Ohrenschall
Revises provisions regarding the Open Meeting Law. 8/10/2010

19-288 (AB59) Attorney General
Makes various changes to the Open Meeting Law. 8/30/2010

527 Assemblyman Bobzien; Joint Requester: Assemblywoman Kirkpatrick
Revises provisions governing the use of websites by local governments to comply with the Open Meeting Law. 9/02/2010

574 Assemblyman Segerblom
(Originally requested by Senator Care)
Revises the provisions requiring meetings of public bodies to be open to the public. 11/02/2010

Parole

16-460 (AB18) Department of Public Safety
Clarifies quasi-judicial nature of meetings of State Board of Parole Commissioners and rights of prisoners and other persons who appear before the board. 9/01/2010

640 Senate Committee on Judiciary
(on behalf of the Advisory Commission on the Administration of Justice)
Revises provisions governing release on parole. 12/09/2010
Prisons and Prisoners

74 Senator Gustavson
Makes various changes to provide alternatives to incarceration in certain circumstances. 4/21/2010

16-117 Assemblyman Segerblom
Revises provisions relating to prisoners. 6/21/2010

16-120 (SB72) Attorney General
Revises provisions governing assignment of inmates to residential confinement. 6/22/2010

423 Senator Parks
Creates pilot program to establish intermediate sanction facilities within the Department of Corrections to provide treatment to certain probation violators and offenders. 9/01/2010

16-450 (SB29) Department of Corrections
Revises provisions governing sentence credits to prevent awards causing an immediate release of inmates. 9/01/2010

14-452 (AB11) Department of Corrections
Authorizes the Department of Corrections to use telephone call tracing and wire tapping equipment. 9/01/2010

16-460 (AB18) Department of Public Safety
Clarifies quasi-judicial nature of meetings of State Board of Parole Commissioners and rights of prisoners and other persons who appear before the board. 9/01/2010

S-509 Assemblyman Segerblom
Provides for the establishment of intermediate sanctions facilities within the Department of Corrections to provide treatment to certain probation violators and offenders. 9/02/2010

40-598 Assemblywoman Flores
Provides for the waiver of fees for the issuance of certain forms of identifying information for certain persons released from prison. 11/21/2010

633 Assemblyman Horne
Makes various changes to provisions governing certain offenders. 12/07/2010

634 Assembly Committee on Judiciary (on behalf of the Advisory Commission on the Administration of Justice)
Revises provisions governing certain credits for offenders. 12/07/2010

699 Senator Settelmeyer
Makes various changes concerning correctional facilities. 12/13/2010

Probation

423 Senator Parks
Creates pilot program to establish intermediate sanction facilities within the Department of Corrections to provide treatment to certain probation violators and offenders. 9/01/2010

806 Assembly Committee on Judiciary
Revises provisions governing probation. 12/15/2010

Public Accommodations

799 Senator Leslie
Revises provisions relating to unlawful discrimination in places of public accommodation. 12/15/2010

Public Works

28-394 Senate Committee on Government Affairs
Makes various changes to provisions governing public works. 9/01/2010

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679 Assembly Committee on Government Affairs
Revises provisions relating to public works and purchasing regarding subcontractors. 12/12/2010

692 Assemblyman Cresent Hardy
Revises provisions governing prevailing wage. 12/13/2010

718 Assemblyman Daly
Revises provisions governing public works. 12/13/2010

740 Senator Lee
Revises provisions governing public works. 12/14/2010

**Sexual Offenses / Sex Offenders**

10 Senator Wiener
Revises provisions governing text messaging of sexual images. 8/18/2009

39-95 Assemblyman Horne
Provides for civil commitment of sexually dangerous persons. 5/17/2010

14-292 (AB57) Attorney General
Makes various changes to provisions concerning sex offenders. 8/30/2010

28-437 (AB38) State Public Works Board
Imposes penalties against prime contractors for failure to follow statute when substituting subcontractors and requires a contractor to replace a non-qualifying subcontractor at no expense to State Public Works Board. 9/01/2010

28-478 (SB16) Labor Commissioner, Office of Business and Industry
Requires the Labor Commissioner to establish prevailing wage classifications by regulation. 9/01/2010

28-529 Assemblyman Segerblom
Makes various changes relating to prevailing wage. 9/07/2010

553 Assembly Committee on Government Affairs
Revises provisions governing public works contracts involving construction managers at risk. 10/25/2010

692 Assemblyman Cresent Hardy
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718 Assemblyman Daly
Revises provisions governing public works. 12/13/2010

740 Senator Lee
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39-95 Assemblyman Horne
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14-292 (AB57) Attorney General
Makes various changes to provisions concerning sex offenders. 8/30/2010
15-354 Assemblywoman Woodbury
Revises provisions pertaining to crimes relating to child pornography. 9/01/2010

14-466 (AB75) Department of Public Safety
Adds additional crimes to list of offenses for which registration as a sex offender is required. 9/01/2010

514 Assemblyman Hambrick
Revises provisions governing certain sexual crimes involving minors. 9/02/2010

551 Assemblyman Hambrick
Makes various changes to provisions governing juvenile sex offenders. 10/24/2010

677 Assemblywoman Flores
Revises provisions relating to sex offenders. 12/12/2010

Traffic Laws

43-12 Assemblyman Atkinson; Joint Requestors: Assemblywoman Kirkpatrick, Assemblywoman Smith, Assemblyman Oceguera
Prohibits texting while driving a motor vehicle. 9/16/2009

43-38 Senator Nolan
Makes failure to wear safety belt in a motor vehicle a primary offense. 1/15/2010

42 Senator Nolan
Revises provisions governing traffic safety. 1/15/2010

43-45 Senator Breeden
Prohibits a person operating a motor vehicle from using a telephonic device to write, send or read a text-based communication. 1/21/2010

43-104 Assemblyman Munford
Restricts the use of cellular phones while driving. 6/08/2010

43-134 (AB2) Assemblywoman Kirkpatrick
Revises provisions relating to smog checks for classic vehicles. 6/28/2010

43-385 Assemblyman Manendo
Prohibits minors from using cellular telephones and similar devices while operating motor vehicles. 9/01/2010

43-461 (SB76) Department of Public Safety
Prohibits texting while driving a motor vehicle. 9/01/2010

43-483 (AB34) Department of Transportation
Allows for the use of photo-electronic equipment to issue traffic citations. 9/01/2010

43-492 (SB51) Department of Motor Vehicles
Revises traffic conviction reporting requirements to match the Commercial Driver’s License Information System (CDLIS) and imposes penalties for violation of an out-of-service order by a person operating under a commercial driver’s license. 9/01/2010

43-493 (SB50) Department of Motor Vehicles
Makes various changes regarding license suspensions and fines and revises language to clearly state drivers licenses will be revoked during imprisonment. 9/01/2010

43-571 Senator Gustavson; Joint Requester: Senator Halseth
Revises provisions governing the wearing of protective headgear when operating motorcycles. 11/02/2010

656 Senate Committee on Transportation
Makes various changes concerning certain parking violations. 12/10/2010

794 Senator Parks
Revises provisions governing traffic laws. 12/15/2010

Unfair / Deceptive Trade Practices

902 Assembly Committee on Commerce and Labor
Revises provisions governing trade regulations and practices. 12/15/2010

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Victim of Crimes Fund

16-431 (SB67) Victims of Crime Program Administration
Eliminates requirement that money in fund for Victims of Crime be paid out proportionally based on quarterly estimates of the fund balance. 9/01/2010

16-597 Assemblyman Frierson
Makes various changes concerning compensation to victims of crime. 11/21/2010

Water law

48-31 Senator Rhoads
Revises the notice requirements for certain well applications. 12/08/2009

48-206 Legislative Committee on Public Lands
Revises provisions governing the use of water for evaporation in a pit lake or gravel pit. 8/04/2010

48-207 Legislative Committee on Public Lands
Revises provisions governing certain notices and hearings concerning applications to appropriate water for beneficial use. 8/04/2010

48-208 (Withdrawn) Legislative Committee on Public Lands
Repeals provisions requiring a public hearing before the issuance of an order granting domestic well credits to a public water system. 8/04/2010

48-209 Legislative Committee on Public Lands
Revises the amount of the fees collected for issuing a permit to appropriate water for agricultural use. 8/04/2010

20-243 Legislative Committee to Oversee the Western Regional Water Commission
Authorizes the issuance of bonds to finance loans made to provide financial assistance to persons to connect to the public water or sewer system in certain counties. 8/19/2010

285 Senator Rhoads
Provides for temporary water use for restoration of burned areas. 8/30/2010

299 Assemblyman Goicoechea
Revises provision relating to ground water basins. 8/31/2010

312 Assemblyman Goicoechea (by request)
Revises provisions relating to stock water. 8/31/2010

347 Assemblyman Ohrenschall
Revises provisions relating to water. 8/31/2010

48-360 Assemblyman Goedhart
Revises provisions relating to the filing of a protest to an application to appropriate water. 9/01/2010

48-467 (AB73) Division of Water Resources, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources
Clarifies provisions governing notices and the right of entry by State Engineer and staff for inspection and eliminates hearings for domestic well credit programs. 9/01/2010

32-468 (AB46) Division of Water Resources, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources
Clarifies requirements for payment of State Engineer assessments for the management of water. 9/01/2010

48-525 (SB68) Eureka County
Includes participation by local governments in monitoring, management and mitigation of water resources. 9/01/2010

681 Assemblywoman Kirkpatrick
Allows for public water agencies to lease water. 12/12/2010

730 Assemblyman Anderson
Provides for the study of water. 12/14/2010

821 Senate Committee on Government Affairs
Revises provisions relating to water. 12/15/2010

829 Senator McGinness
Makes various changes relating to water. 12/15/2010

895 Assemblyman Goedhart
AJR: Urges the Federal Government to enter into discussions with the State of Nevada and Nye County concerning mitigation for contamination of certain waters in the State. 12/15/2010

926 Senator Schneider (by request)
Makes various changes relating to the regulation and use of water. 12/15/2010

Weapons

15-51 Assemblyman Hickey (originally requested by Assemblywoman Gansert)
Revises provisions relating to concealed weapon permits for military police under 21 years of age. 2/12/2010
15-118 Assemblyman Bobzien; Joint Requester: Assemblywoman Smith
Makes various changes concerning carrying concealed firearms. 6/22/2010

15-186 Senator Gustavson
Revises provisions concerning concealed weapons permits. 7/27/2010

15-335 Assemblyman Settelmeyer
Revises provisions relating to concealed firearm permits. 8/31/2010

35-358 Assemblyman Goedhart
Revises provisions governing the use and possession of firearms in state parks. 9/01/2010

14-465 (AB66) Department of Public Safety
Specifies process for restoring revoked firearms rights. 9/01/2010

5-470 (AB13) Department of Wildlife
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